Clearances:

L/PM – Schildge ok PM/DTCL – Maloney

NSC – Nillson ok H – Cooper

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Richard R. Verma Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs

Enclosure:

Transmittal No. DDTC 074-09

The Honorable

Nancy Pelosi,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

# DEPARTMENT OF STATE TRANSMITTAL NO. DDTC 074-09 CERTIFICATION OF PROPOSED ISSUANCE OF AN EXPORT LICENSE PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 36(d) OF THE ARMS EXPORT CONTROL ACT

### (1) Foreign Country or International Organization to Which Export Will Be Made:

Commonwealth of Australia

# (2) <u>Dollar Value of the Proposed Export:</u>

Current Notification Value: \$25,000,000

# (3) <u>Description of the Transaction:</u>

Current Notification Scope: Textron, Inc. through AAI Corporation proposes the transfer of technical data, defense services, and hardware to Aerosonde Pty Ltd. in the Commonwealth of Australia related to the manufacture, assembly, verification and test of Small Unmanned Aerial Vehicles and associated components for sale exclusively to AAI Corporation in the United States. The manufacture of significant military equipment abroad necessitates Congressional Notification. The agreement would be valid until May 2018.

- (4) Offset Arrangement: None.
- (5) <u>Authorized Sales Territory</u>: United States.
- (6) <u>Date Certification Delivered to Congress</u>:

<u>NOTE</u>: This report, although unclassified, is derived from information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant which is subject to the confidentiality requirements of section 38(e) of the Arms Export Control Act. Disclosure of an applicant's prices and customers could result in competitive injury.

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The Honorable

Joseph R. Biden, Jr.,

President of the Senate.